

## PATENT APPLICATION

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Kohji NUMATA

Appln. No.: Not assigned

Group Art Unit: Not assigned

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Filed: September 19, 2001

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR REPRODUCING MOVING IMAGES

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

**Please enter the following amended claims:**

3. (Amended) The system defined in Claim 2, wherein said storage stores compressed image data; and wherein said frame buffer stores moving image data decoded by said video decoder; and wherein said plural buffers, specified by said image storage buffer switch, stores moving image data decoded by said video decoder; and wherein said timing adjuster acquires a current scanning line from said display controller and adjusts the timing with which said display changeover specification is issued, in accordance with the current scan line; and wherein said display controller switches between said plural buffers to be displayed during the next vertical blanking period after reception of said display changeover specification and then displays an image on said display.

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**REMARKS**

Entry and consideration of this Amendment is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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**APPENDIX**

**VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE**

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